Sūrah al-Fīl[1859]

Bismillāhir-Raḥmānir-Raḥeem

1. Have you not considered, [O Muḥammad], how your Lord dealt with the companions of the elephant?[1860]

2. Did He not make their plan into misguidance?[1861]

3. And He sent against them birds in flocks,

4. Striking them with stones of hard clay,

5. And He made them like eaten straw.[1862]

سُورَةُ الفِيلِ

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَٰنِ الرَّحِيمِ

أَلَمْ تَرَ كَيْفَ فَعَلَ رَبُّكَ بِأَصْحَابِ الْفِيلِ ﴿١﴾

أَلَمْ يَجْعَلْ كَيْدَهُمْ فِي تَضْلِيلٍ ﴿٢﴾

وَأَرْسَلَ عَلَيْهِمْ طَيْرًا أَبَابِيلَ ﴿٣﴾

تَرْمِيهِم بِحِجَارَةٍ مِّن سِجِّيلٍ ﴿٤﴾

فَجَعَلَهُمْ كَعَصْفٍ مَّأْكُولٍ ﴿٥﴾

1859 *Al-Fīl*: The Elephant.

1860 i.e., the army under the command of Abrahah al-Ashram which was accompanied by a huge elephant and came with the intention of destroying the *Ka'bah* at Makkah.

1861 Causing them to perish.

1862 i.e., husks which have been chewed by cattle. This event took place in the year of the Prophet's birth.